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In Appreciation of Our
Alumni Who so Valiantly
Served Their Country in
World War Two
We Dedicate the
Nineteen Forty-Six Edition
of the

Wo-He-Lo

Home is the sailor, home from the sea,
And the soldier, home from the hills.
—Tennyson.

In Memoriam

"Under the wide and starry sky,
Dig the grave and let me lie.
Glad did I live and gladly die,
And I laid me down with a will."

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Cooper, Collins
Coursey, Ben Frank
Coursey, Walter A.
Cowane, Athy Lavon
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Dear Alma Mater, we sing thy praise,
In sweet remembrance of our college days.
Comrades and teachers, friends so true,
We give our love to you—
Long may we cherish the days spent with thee,
Happy days of dreams, work and play so carefree;
Deep in our hearts rests your memories true.
Here's all our love to you.

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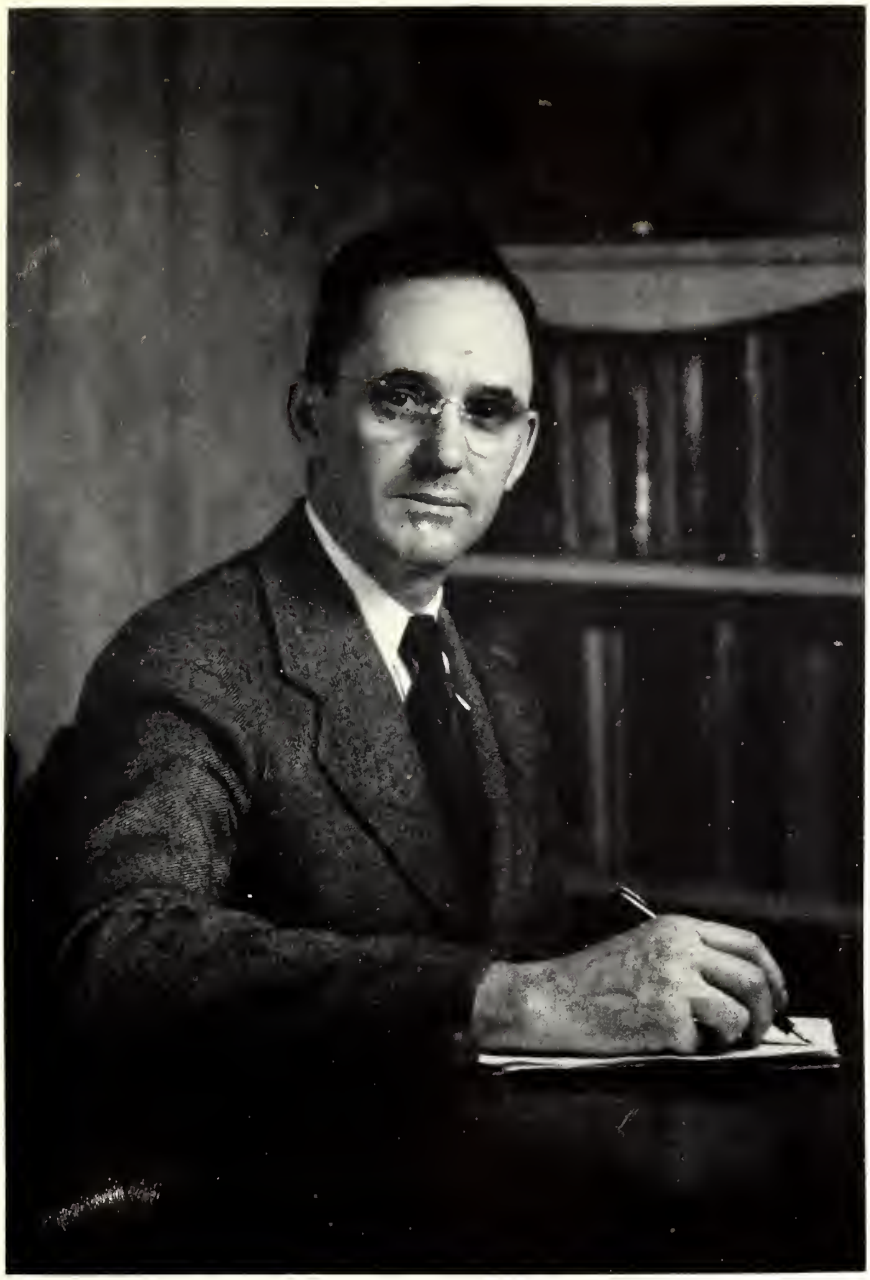

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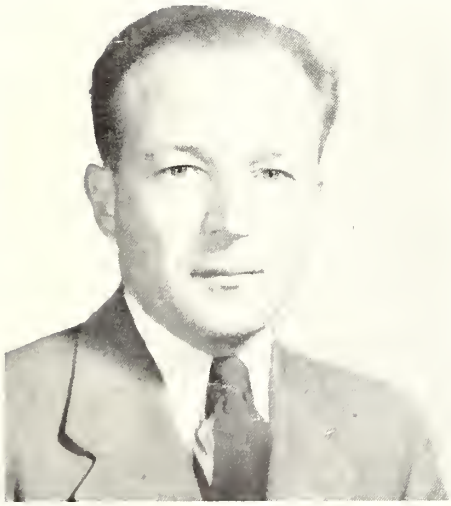

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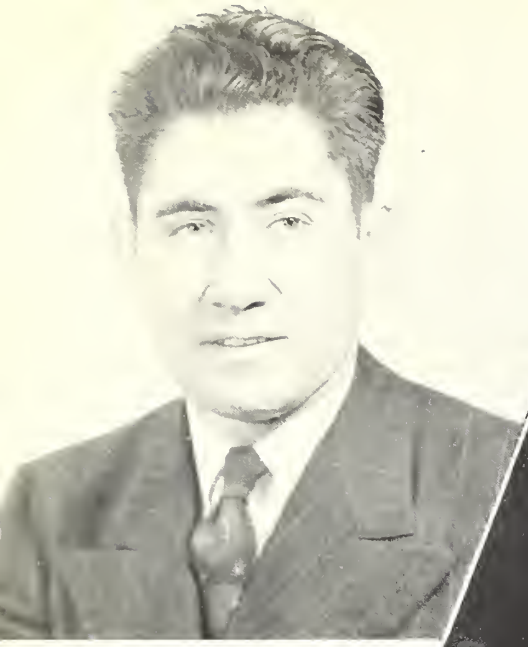

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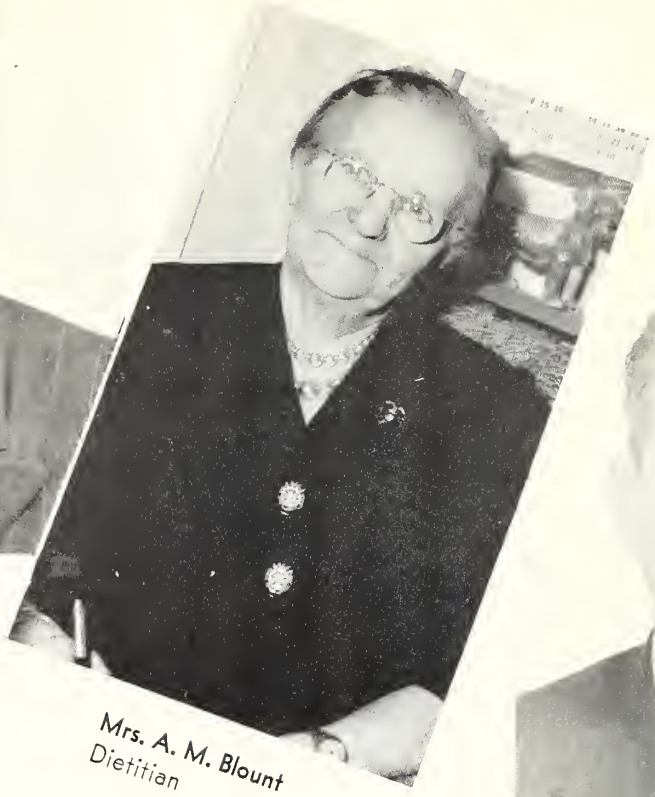

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The President's Message

To The Graduating Classes

This copy of the WO-HE-LO will become one of your prized possessions. You will realize this immediately upon receiving it, and it will grow more valuable with the years. In the future you will spend many hours poring over its pages. The snap shots, autographs, and "posed" pictures will bring back many tender associations. The peculiar styles of dress will amaze you. Your interest in friends will be rekindled.

The WO-HE-LO will be a tangible device for binding you together with your Alma Mater. It will refresh your memories of the days when we all worked, learned, and played together at East Central Junior College. There will be the memory of inspiring teachers, of friendly counselings, of challenging messages both public and private. There will be the memory of great music programs, interesting and stimulating assembly speakers, of exciting basketball games (remember Decatur 50—Goodman 48). There will be the memory of working together in the many student organizations and of participating in student "sessions." There will also be the memory of many quiet hours spent in study and reflection.

Finally, the WO-HE-LO, I hope, will be a stimulator of pleasant memories and a challenger to further growth. It will record some of the events, personalities, and scenes of the great period of your lives when you were growing up to understand a great deal more about the world and your own powers. It will remind you of the days when you really were developing the ability of your minds to think clearly without prejudice, when you were broadening your tastes and appreciation of the good and the beautiful; when you were developing your sense of responsibility for the powers given into your hands.

May this book and everything about this institution challenge you to useful living. This is our hope.

Your friend,

L. O. TODD

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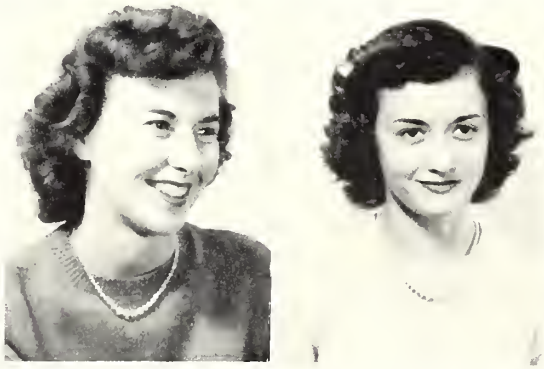

Sophomores

SUE BENNETT ..... Louisville
Business May 2
Pres. Wesley Foundation, Pres. IRC, V.-Pres. Y Council, Sec. and Treas. YWCA, Annual Staff, FTA, Vesper.
"A perfect woman, nobly planned,
To warn, to comfort, and command."

DIXIE BRIGGS ..... Scooba
Religious Education
Wesley Foundation, IRC, Dramatic Club.
"There's nothing ill can dwell in such a temple."

TOM CHISHOLM ..... Philadelphia
Wesley Foundation, Dramatic Club, IRC, Glee Club.
"He is as full of valor as of kindness;
princely in both."

WILDA COOK ..... Decatur
Liberal Arts
"The hand that hath made you fair hath made you good."

JO COOPER ..... Conehatta
Commerce July 20
Reporter of Vesper, FTA, BSU, YWCA, Y Council, Dramatic Club.
"Earth seems more sweet to live upon;
More full of love because of her."

NONIE PEARL COWARD ..... Ludlow
Commerce November 5
Vesper, Noon-Day, YWCA.
"Build on and make thy castles high and fair."

KATHERINE COX ..... Philadelphia
Home Economics December 17
Dramatic Club, Vice-President Home Ec. Club, Reporter Wesley Foundation, President Morning Watch, Noon-Day, Vesper, YWCA, Y Council, Annual Staff.
"Be to her virtue very kind,
Be to her faults a little blind."

GURVIS CUMBERLAND ..... Philadelphia
Teachers
FTA, YMCA.
"A good natured fellow, a trustworthy friend."

LAVERNE GIBBS ..... Lake
Teachers May 5
Glee Club, BSU, FTA, Vesper.
"Gather ye rosebuds while ye may."

THELMA GOODIN ..... Louisville
Teachers June 17
Vice-President FTA, Dramatic Club, Glee Club, Morning Watch.
"Her voice was ever soft, gentle and low,
An excellent thing in woman."

ANNIE LEE GORDON ..... Decatur
Commerce
Cheer-Leader.
"The eternal feminine draws her on."

WILMA RITH GORDON ..... House
Teachers July 19
FTA, Vesper.
"What wisdom can you find that is greater than kindness."

DON GRAHAM ..... Dixon
Agriculture October 10
Reporter of Dramatic Club, Y Council, Wesley Foundation, YWCA, Noon-Day.
"You are a king by your own fireside, as as any monarch on his throne."

GRACE GREEN ..... Walnut Grove
Teachers February 4
President BSU, Morning Watch, Dramatic Club, Noon-Day, Vesper, President FTA, Y Council, YWCA.
"Do your duty and leave the rest to heaven."

FRANCES HAMMOND ..... Louisville
Liberal Arts November 5
Dramatic Club, Glee Club, IRC, Wesley Foundation, YWCA, Vesper, Noon-Day, Annual Staff, Paper Statt.
"To know her is to love her."

TOMMYE JEAN HATCHER Calhoun
Teachers July 1
Reporter Y Council, Vice-President YWCA, Vesper, Wesley Foundation, IRC, Dramatic Club, FTA, Morning Watch, Noon-Day, Annual Staff, Paper Staff.
"Seeing only what is fair, sipping only what is sweet."

NELL HERD ..... Stratton
Liberal Arts May 8
"Her soul is like a srat and dwells apart."

FRANCES HUNT ..... Forest
Commerce May 24
Noon-Day, Treas. of Vesper, Reporter of BSU, Sec. Dramatic Club, Y Council, Morning Watch, YWCA.
"A creature not too bright or good for human nature's daily food."

HAROLD HUNT ..... Newton
Business
"One foot in sea, and one on shore,
To one thing constant never."

JANICE HUNT ..... Calhoun
Teachers December 19
Glee Club, Dramatic Club, FTA, Morning Watch, Noon-Day, YWCA, BSU, Paper Staff.
"I fling my soul on high with a new endeavor."

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KENNETH HUNTER ..... Decatur
Agriculture
President Sophomore Class, Vice-President Youth Fellowship, Annual Staff.
"He thinks like a philosopher and acts like a king."

ELTON HURT ..... Louisville
Lab. Tech. May 20
Y Council, YWCA, BSU, Vice-President BSU Noon-Day.
"Her lovliness I never knew until she smiled on me."

BETTY IDON ..... Morton
Teachers November 30
President Home Ec. Club, FTA, Morning Watch, Dramatic Club.
"A violet by a mossy stone,
Half hidden from the eye."

LORRAINE JACKSON ..... Decatur
Liberal Arts August 22
Glee Club, Dramatic Club, Wesley Foundation, Paper Staff, Annual Staff, President IRC.
"Your eyes blue depths are lifted,
With love and friendship stirred."

JEAN GIBBON JOHNSON ..... Newton
Liberal Arts
"Give me a spirit that on this life's rough sea,
Loves to have its sails filled with a lusty wind."

ROBERT GAINES JORDON ..... Decatur
Lab. Tech.
"Everyone knows him and appreciates him."

CATHERINE KEMP ..... Meridian
Teachers March 9
Sec. and Treas. of FTA, Home Ec Club, Vesper, Annual Staff, Dramatic Club.
"Like a high-born maiden,
In a palace tower."

MARY RUBY KEMP ..... Louisville
Teachers September 20
Dramatic Club, Reporter of FTA, Vesper, YWCA, BSU, Morning Watch.
"The noblest mind, the best contentment has."

LAVERNE LEWIS ..... Morton
Teacher September 19
Home Ec. Club, FTA, Vesper, YWCA, Wesley Foundation, Noon-Day.
"Exceeding fair she was."

ELAINE LONG ..... Norton
Teacher December 28
FTA, Vesper, BSU, YWCA, Noon-Day.
"A mind at peace with all below,
A heart whose love is innocent."

MILDRED LOVORN ..... Calhoun
Teachers November 17
Sec. Glee Club, Chorister of Morning Watch, Y Council, YWCA, Dramatic Club, Wesley Foundation, Noon-Day, Annual Staff.
"Pure is the spirit that dwells within and shines alike on all."

THEDRA LUKE ..... Philadelphia
Liberal Arts November 19
Treas. of IRC, Vesper, YWCA, Y Council, Glee Club, Home Ec. Club, Noon-Day, Wesley Foundation.
"Her eyes as stars of twilight fade,
Like twilight too her dusky hair."

ELEANOR McCRANEY ..... Decatur
Lab. Tech. October 1
Basketball, Dramatic Club, Glee Club.
"She has proved herself loyal, courteous, and true."

CORALYN McHAHAN ..... Union
Teachers
"Those who meet her are never disappointed,
Those who know her never regret it."

FRED McMULLAN ..... Stratton
Auto Mechanics
"Surely a man of truth and right,
You'll recognize this just on sight."

MELTON McMULLAN ..... Decatur
Social Studies October 2
Vice-President IRC, Paper Staff, Dramatic Club.
"Not too serious, not too gay, But a rare good fellow when it comes to play."

MYRTICE McMULLAN ..... Decatur
Liberal Arts October 14
Paper Staff.
"A countenance in which did meet,
Sweet record promises as sweet."

GAY NELL MAJURE ..... Decatur
Liberal Arts November 9
Dramatic Club.
"There is a garden in her face,
Where roses and while lilies grow."

ALENE MARTIN ..... Birmingham, Ala.
Liberal Arts October 1
President Wesley Foundation, Reporter of Sophomore Class, Y Council, Dramatic Club, Reporter of Glee Club, Annual Staff, IRC, YWCA, Vesper, Home Ec. Club.
"A sweet attractive kind of grace,
A full assurance given by looks."

RUTH MASON ..... Decatur
Liberal Arts March 28
Dramatic Club, Glee Club, Annual Staff, Sec. Sophomore Class, Paper Staff.
"Her calm gentle sweetness sets her apart from all."

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LENORD NELSON ..... Lawrence
Agriculture May 1
"I can cheerfully take it now,
Or with equal cheerfulness wait."

MARY PARKES ..... Conehatta
Lab. Tech.
Chorister of YWCA, Noon-Day and Vesper, President of Y Council, President BSU, Morning Watch, Glee Club, Annual Staff.
"Grace was in her steps, heaven in her eyes,
In every gesture dignity and love."

ETOILE PEAGLER ..... Morton
Commerce October 2
Vesper, BSU, YWCA, Noon-Day.
"Her very goodness shines over her like a halo."

DORIS PEARSON ..... Conehatta
Teacher August 15
Vesper, Noon-Day, FTA, YWCA.
"I strove with none for none was worth my strife."

KATHERINE REEVES ..... Decatur
Teachers August 5
Glee Club, Basketball.
"I am merry when I hear sweet music."

ILLENE RICHIE ..... Philadelphia
Teachers May 1
Editor of Annual, Cheer Leader, President Glee Club, Vice-President Dramatic Club, FTA, Pianist for Noon-Day, Vesper, BSU, YWCA, Y Council.
"Bright star. 'Would I as steadfast as thou art."

HUGENE RIVERS ..... Union
Commerce November 18
Vesper, Noon-Day, Wesley Foundation, YWCA.
"If to her share some female errors fall,
Look on her face and you will forget them all."

EMOGENE SMITH ..... Noxapater
Commerce
YWCA, Vesper, BSU.
"Her air, her manners; all who saw admired;
Courteous, tho coy, and gentle tho retired."

L. H. SMITH ..... Noxapater
Agriculture April 28
BSU, Y Council, BTU, YMCA, Noon-Day, Paper Staff.
"Every inch a gentleman."

FRED TALBERT ..... Noxapater
Science
"He preaches well that lives well."

LILLIAN TAYLOR Decatur
Home Economics
Wesley Foundation, IRC, Home Ec. Club
"She is a portion of the loveliness which she makes more lovely."

LOUISE VANCE ..... Decatur
Liberal Arts
Noon-Day, Morning Watch, Vesper, Glee Club, YWCA, Y Council, Wesley Foundation.
"The sweetest thing that ever grew beside a human door."

FRANCES WARWICK ..... Lena
Commerce May 31
Glee Club, BSU.
"I live not in myself, but I become a portion of that around me."

MARCELLE WEBB ..... Ringold
Commerce February 15
Sec. Vesper, YWCA, BSU.
"A wise player accepts his throws and scores them."

SARA WEBB ..... Noxapater
Lab. Tech. November 28
Dramatic Club, Glee Club, Home Ec Club, Sec. and Treas. of Wesley Foundation, Sec. of Noon-Day, Treas. Y Council, President of Vesper.
"A woman of sense and manners is the most delicate part of God's creation."

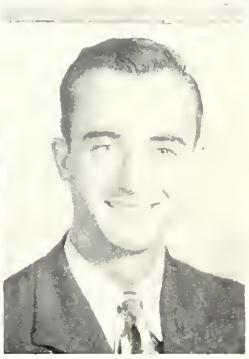
MARY ELIZABETH WILKERSON Lake
Teachers
"Her ways are the ways of pleasantness, and all her paths peace."

CARL WILLIAMS ..... Little Rock
Agriculture January 8
BSU, YMCA, Y Council, Paper Staff, Dramatic Club, Noon-Day, Vice-President Sophomore Class.
"A very perfect gentle knight."

CHARLES WILLIAMSON ..... Little Rock
Agriculture August 23
"Willingness accompanys his ability."

DEAN WILSON ..... Stratton
Commerce April 24
"Come in the evening or come in the morning, Come when you're looked for or come without warning."

PRINTICE STUART ..... Philadelphia
Agriculture September 29
YMCA.
"Self-reverence, self knowledge, self-control,
These three alone lead life to sovereign power."



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HUGH CHISHOLM ..... Philadelphia.
Commerce March 23
"The greater the man, the greater the courtesy."

BONNIE HUDSON ..... New Albany
Lab. Tech. February 5
Noon-Day, Morning Watch, Vesper, Glee Club, Dramatic, Wesley Foundation, YWCA.
"She doeth little kindness which most leave undone or despise."

HILDA JO JOHNSON ..... Harperville
Commerce March 7
Vice-President Morning Watch, Vesper, YWCA, Wesley Foundation, Y Council, Noon-Day.
"Like a rose embowered in her own green leaves."

Freshman Day

Can you ever forget? Stringy hair and shiny noses! The smell of bitterweeds—dresses on backwards—books in suitcases. It would take a mother to love us. The day is over—tired, but hot, and a bit happy— Let me to a shower.

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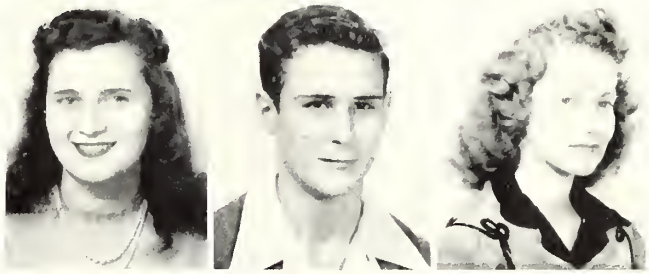

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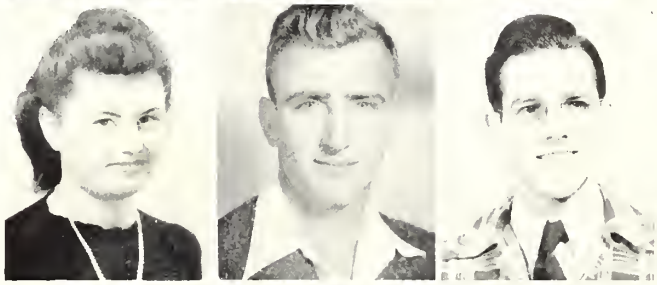

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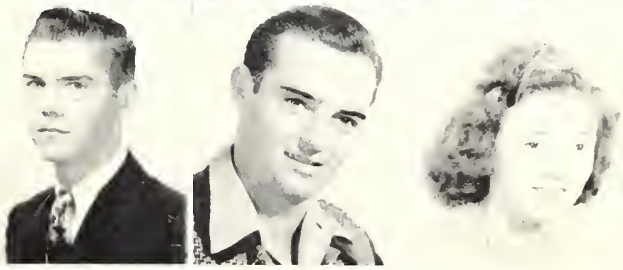

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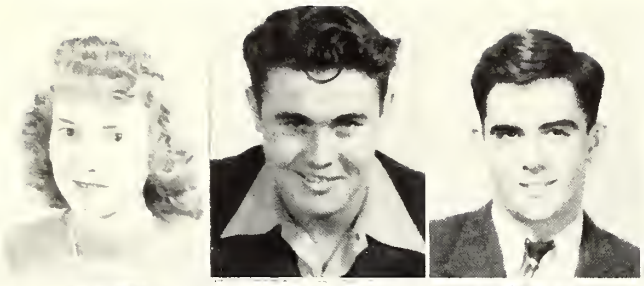

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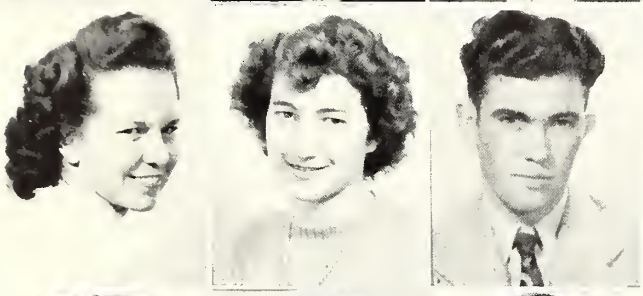

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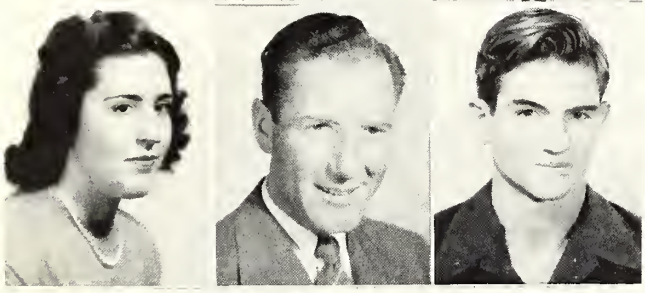

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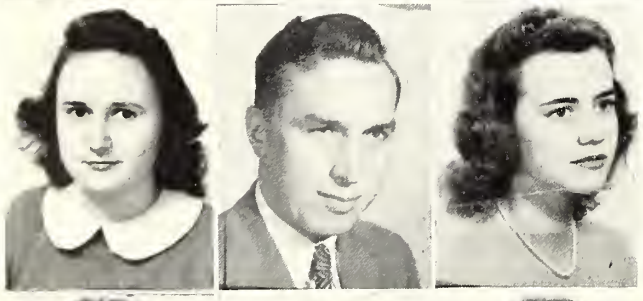

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Rex Gordon ..... Union
Clariece Graham ..... Decatur

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Lola Harbour ..... Union

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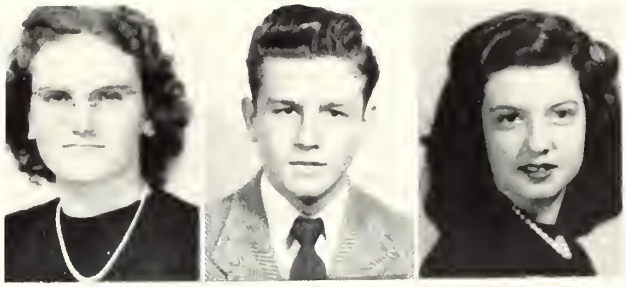

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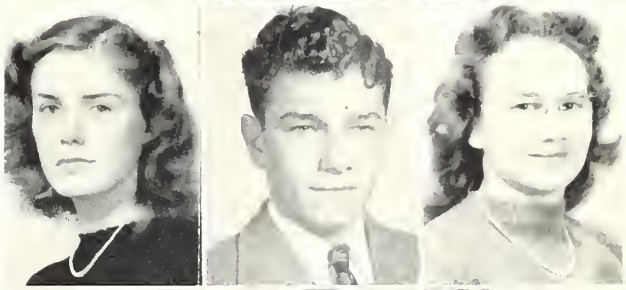

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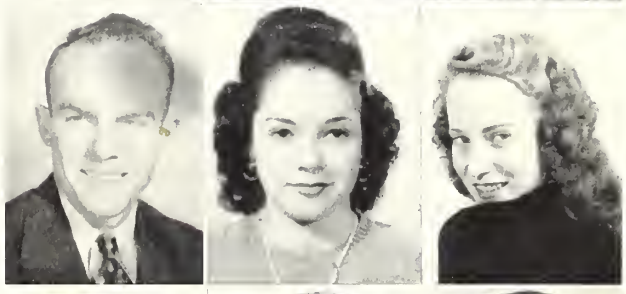

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Hugh McCraney ..... Decatur

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Bessie McDonald ..... Lena
Ray McGee ..... Center

Gwendolyn May ..... Decatur
Ben Minshew ..... Dosville
Mildred Nelson ..... Union

Sybil Pace ..... Conehatta
J. B. Parks ..... Lawrence
Paul Perry ..... Decatur

Lynn Phillips ..... Newton
Doris Poole ..... Collinsville
Buford Posey ..... Philadelphia

Madell Price ..... Noxapater
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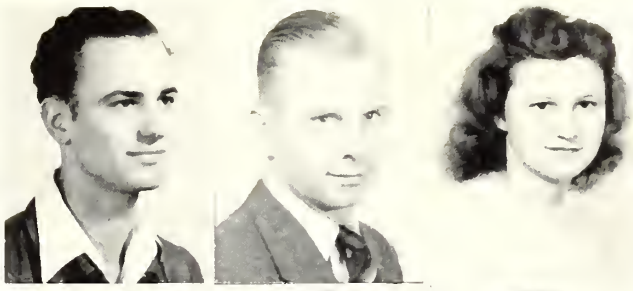

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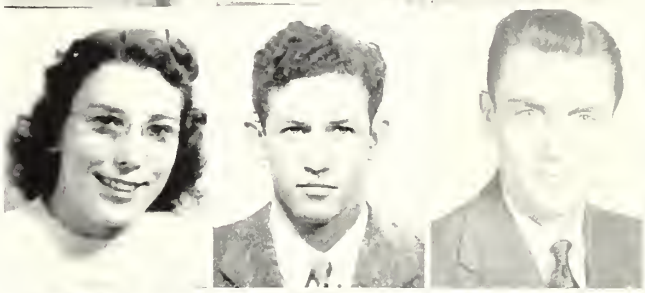

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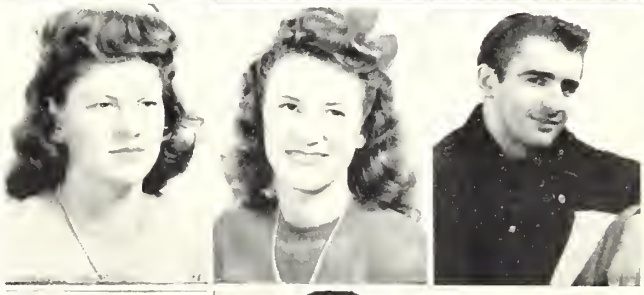

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Nelda Thrash ..... Conehatta

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Carl Underwood . . . . . Sebastopool

Margaret Vence . . . . . Decatur
Dorlos Jean Vaughn . . . . . Houston
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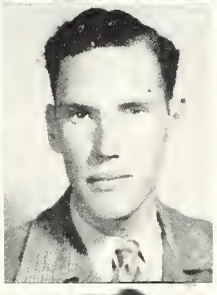

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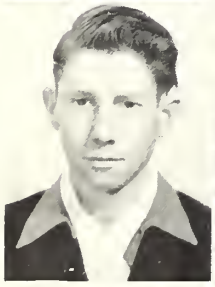

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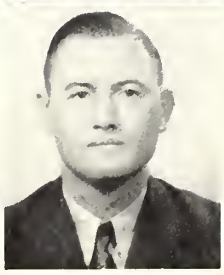

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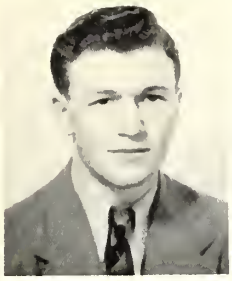
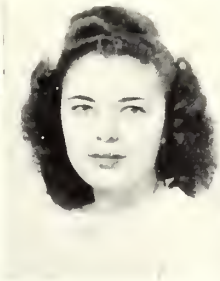
Freshmen





Shed Young ..... Mathiston
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TIMES

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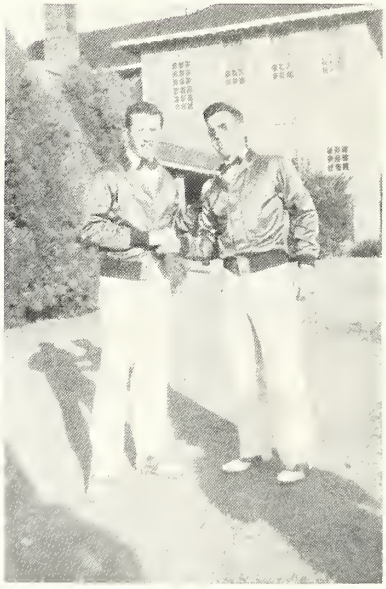
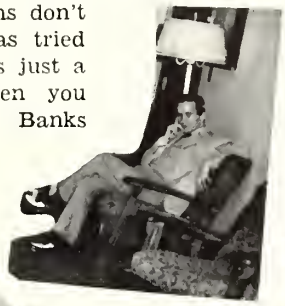


Campus Key Hole

Follow me. I'll show you what's happening here at school—inside and out. It's rather queer 'cause every year when the first signs of spring appear, I start to prowling, and since this is my first year in college I find many key holes to peep through to gain information.

Gosh, what's this! Something hat comes through "Hodge Podes" key hole is burning my nose nd making the tears flow like vine. My! my! Mr. Paskins don't ell me that some one has tried o gas you . . . Or is this just a nutual agreement between you nd Ritchie. Maybe Mr. Banks an tell us all about it.

The only way to get into the girls dormitory is to go after the Coca Cola bottles, so grab an empty and let's go. Look at the ole arbor vita shaking—Um—Oh pardon me, Ivan. I didn't know you and Edris were behind it.



Not so fair a damsel do I know than that gal who is editor of this paper, but all the boys say she has ideas all her own and most of them concern journalism.

Goodness, I smell feathers burning. Oh, they are coming from the teachers home. Girls, next time you better try to burn the head, too. And too, why place the responsibility on one person? After all, Clayton got the chicken Stinkly dressed it, Dottie and Virginia cooked it, after blowing five fuses, and Dr. Todd helped eat it, so come on, let's be fair and share the blame.

Tommie Jean, how was the picnic the other Sunday. Rebecca said it was OK. Too bad you couldn't call Joyce's mother from Linwood.

THE HIGH SCHOOL
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Seniors

Annie Merle Addy
Jane Brand
George Ellis Crawford Jr.

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June Hollingworth
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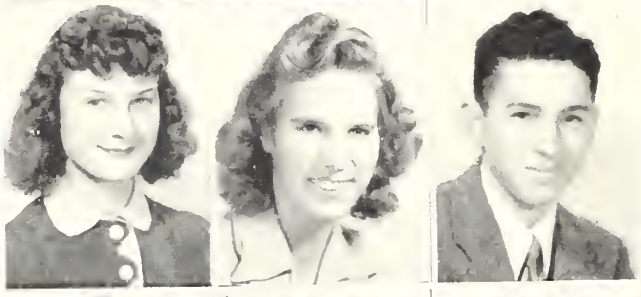

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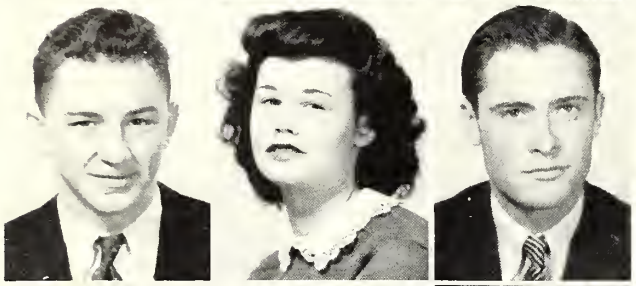

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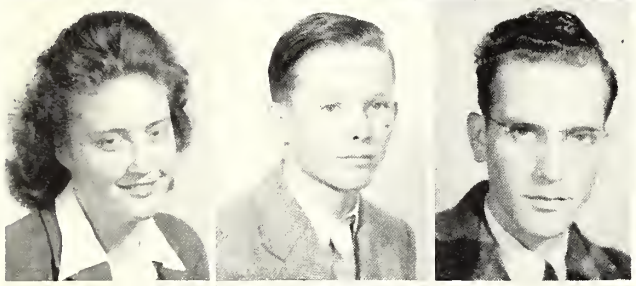
Issac Valentine



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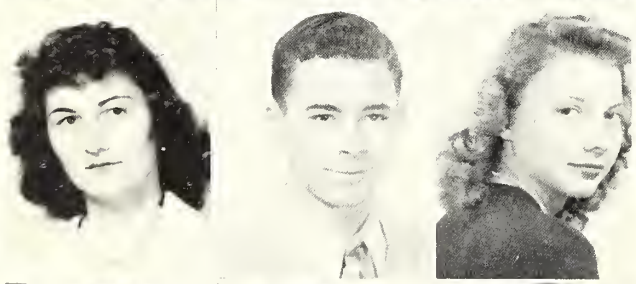
Otis Hardy



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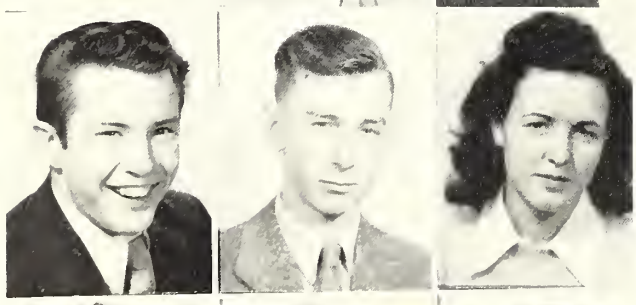
John "Tootsie" Blount
Norma Lee Brand



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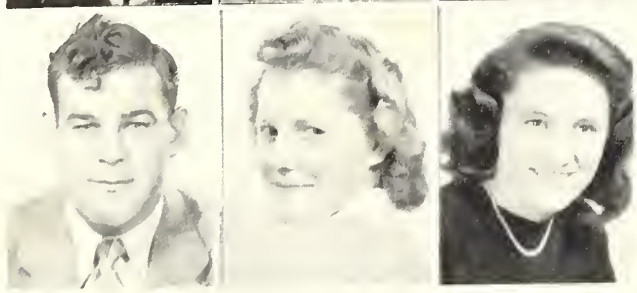
Lyn Densom
Mariam Graham



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Lottie Frank McElhenney
Betty McCraney

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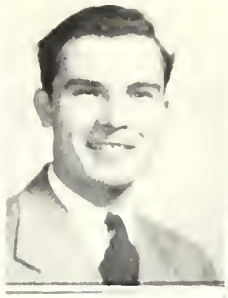

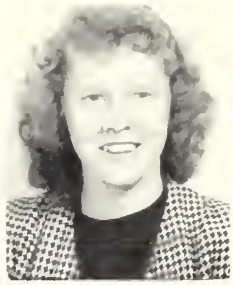

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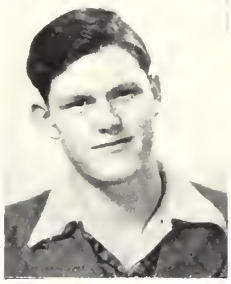
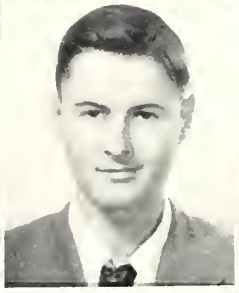

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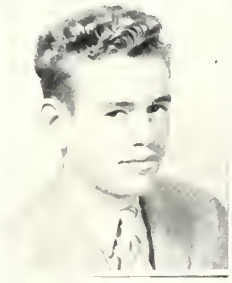
David Hopkins



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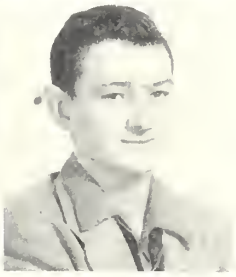

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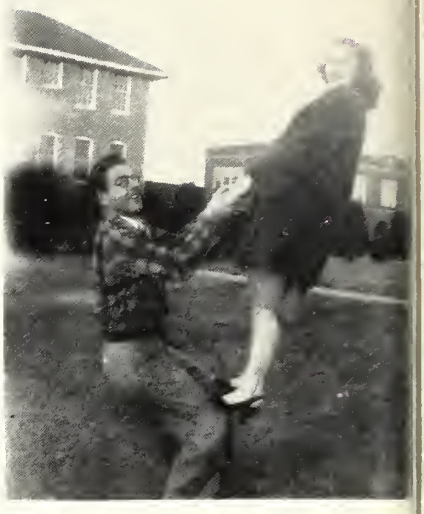
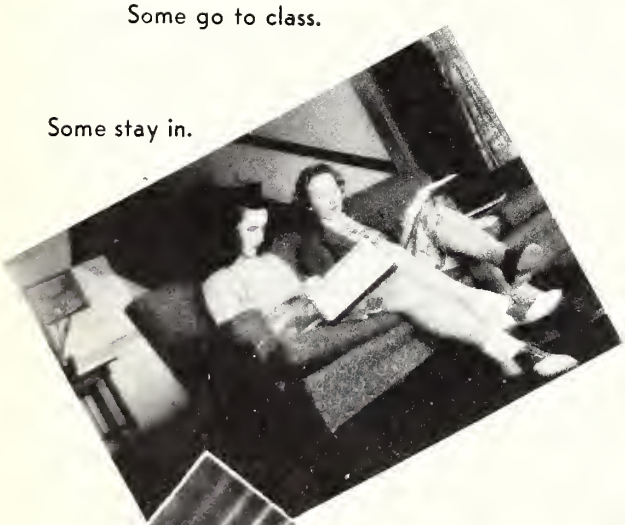
Some go to class.

Some go crazy.



Some love to play.

Some stay in.



Have it

Some live to love.

Some go out.

Some go in crowds.

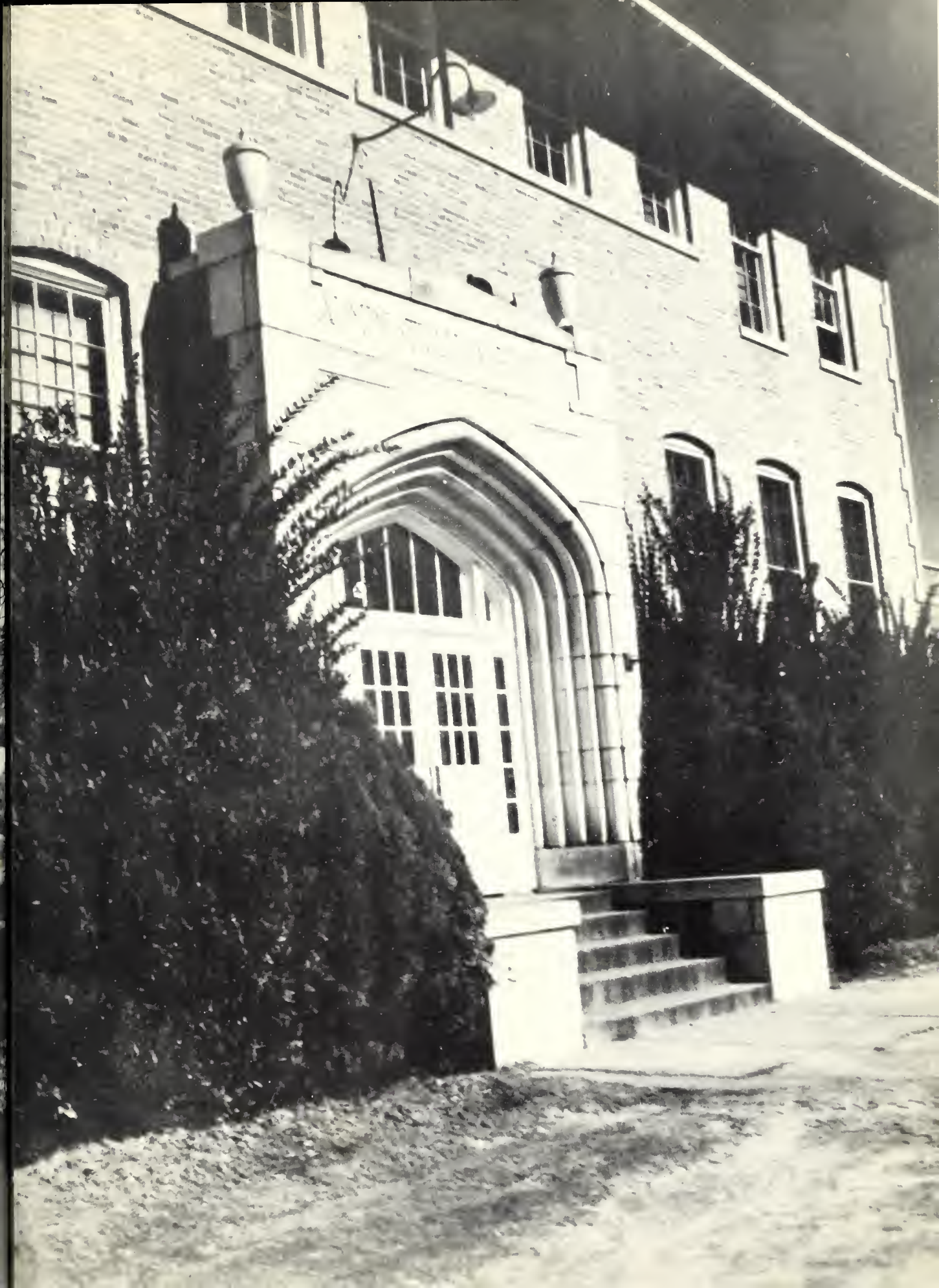
Some go alone.

Your Way

Some live to eat.

Some love to live.

Some eat to live.



Don Graham

Mr E. C. J. C.

Miss E. C. J. C.

Illene Richie

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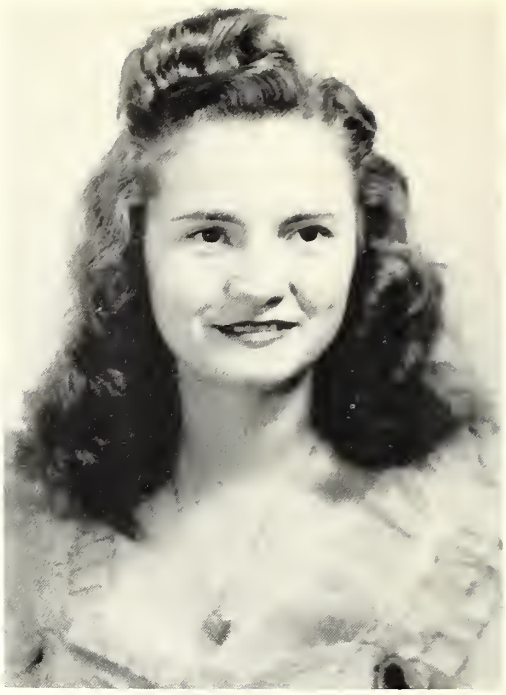
The May Queen

and her Court

Lillian Taylor, Katherine Cox, Mildred Aycock, Marlene Smith, Gay Williams, Ruby May Milner, and Gay Nell Majure.

MAY DAY 1945

Frances Hammond



Betty Idom

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Joyce Billings

Edris Gunn

AUTIES

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Janie Hawkins

Mildred Lovorn

Williston Chasen

THE FA

John Allan Henley

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ORITES

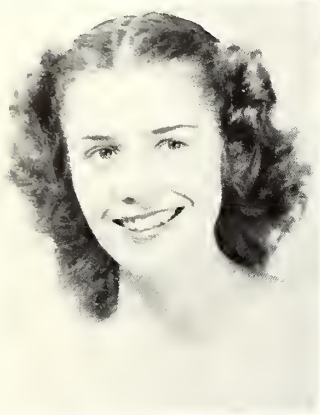
Louise Vance

Billy Dearman

Most Handsome Boy
Carl Williams

Most Versatile Girl
Sue Bennett

Most Charming Girl
Ruth Henry



Most Versatile Boy
Kenneth Hunter

Who's Who

Most Talented Girl
Sarah Webb

Most Talented Boy
Typical Freshman Boy
Fred Ray Blocker

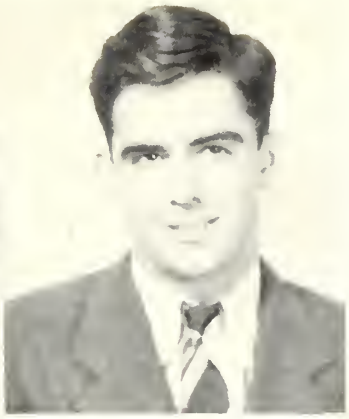
Wittiest Girl
Friendliest Girl
Joyce Jensen

Wittiest Boy
Harold Hunt

Typical Freshman Girl
Molly Wade

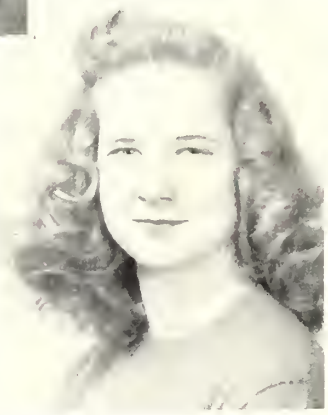
Friendliest Boy
Best Dressed Boy
John A. Henley

Best Dressed Girl
Katherine Kemp



Cutest Boy
Billy Dearman

Cutest Girl
Rebecca Taylor



At E. C. J. C.

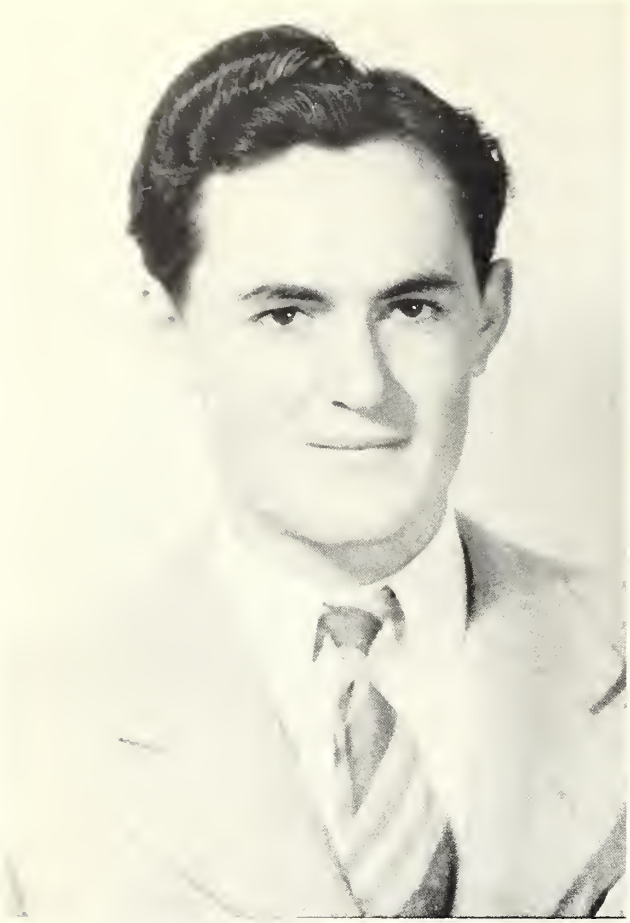
Most Intellectual Girl
Betty Lynn Johnson

Best Boy Athlete
David Woodruff

Most Intellectual Boy
Melton McMullun

Best Girl Athlete
Marcelle Webb

Who's Who At High School



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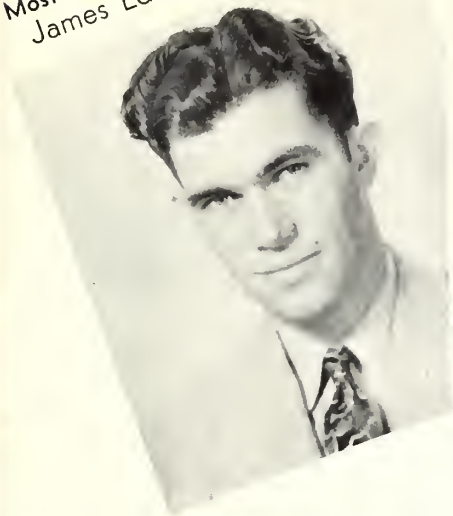
Dolan Coghlan

Miss Decatur High
Benoline Meadows

Most Handsome Boy
James Edwards

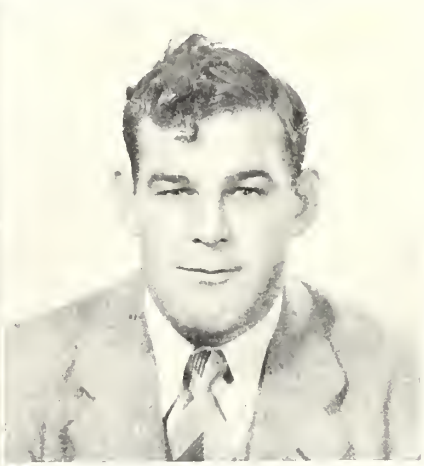


Most Beautiful Girl
Margurite Graham

Best Boy Athlete
Max Herrington

Billy Jackson Thames

Mary Helen Valentine



Malcolm Jones

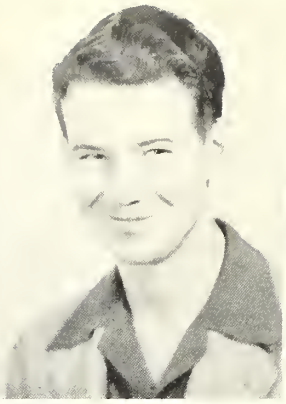
Campus Favorites

Dorthy Buntyn

William "Corky" Capps

Evelyn Rowzee

Most Intellectual Girl
June Hollingsworth



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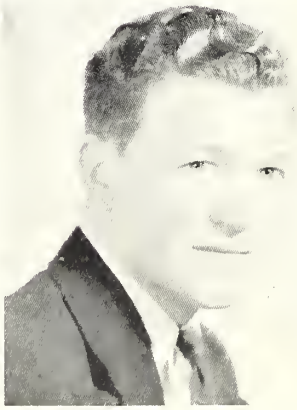
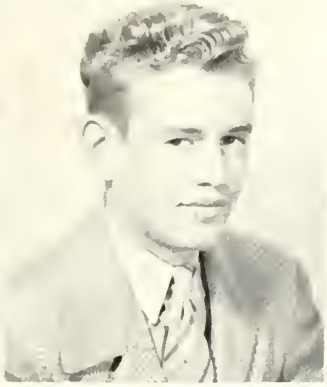


Best Dressed Boy
Shed Young

Girl Most Likely to Succeed
Marian Graham

Boy Most Likely to Succeed
Bernard Stamper

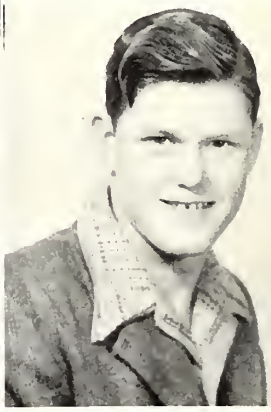
Cutest Girl
Nell Pearson



Cutest Boy
Danny Shannon

Most Versatile Girl
Laverne Pennington

Most Versatile Boy
R. J. Smith



Favorites

Most Charming Girl
Carolyn Perry

Most Polite Boy
Raymond Golden

Friendliest Girl
Frances Addy

Friendliest Boy
John Blount

Grandmother, how's the baby?

Waiting for "chow."

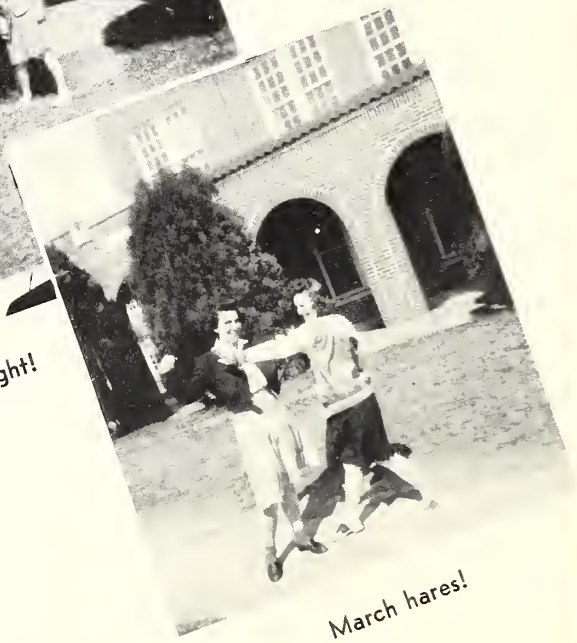
Teased?

Trig is impossible
Chemistry is as bad:

Lit's all in a fog,
But these times remain—

Oh you veteran.

Caught!



March hares!

Toothache or heartache?

Don't tell Bessie.

Handsome?

Why Billie.

Clear in our memories

As the years come
and go.

The Bookworm.

Every campus has one.

All the ladies' man.

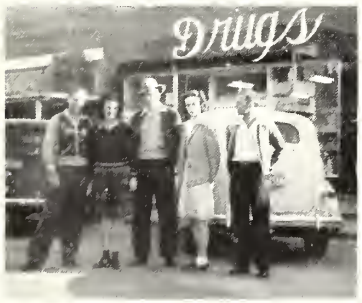
Here we are boys.

A gentleman's agreement.

Polishing the apple.

Around the Campus

1. The Reverend
2. Just snooping
3. Etcetera
4. Where old friends meet.
5. Sounds interesting
6. At ease
7. A joke
8. The latest edition
9. The return of the "Bluebird"
10. The reason for the new rules
11. Going home



Organizations

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The "Y" Council

BOBBIE GILLIS	President
GRACE GREEN	Vice-President
MARY RUBY KEMP	Secretary
SARAH WEBB	Treasurer
JEAN HATCHER	Reporter

The "Y" Council is composed of all the officers of the various religious organizations on the campus. It meets each Monday night to plan the various religious activities to be carried on the campus.

Y. M. and Y. W. C. A.

OFFICERS

CLAYTON YOUNG	President
JEAN HATCHER	Vice-President
JOHN ALLAN HENLEY	Vice-President
MARLENE SMITH	Secretary-Treasurer
ILLENE RICHIE	Pianist
MILDRED LOVORN	Chorister
MRS. SULLIVAN	Sponsor

PURPOSE

Y.M. and Y.W.C.A. meet weekly and the purpose of this organization is to develop Christian fellowship among the boys and girls on the campus and to make more Christian leaders.

B S U

OFFICERS

GRACE GREEN ..... President
NANCY BURNHAM ..... First Vice-President
CLAYTON YOUNG ..... Second Vice-President
RUTH CRANE ..... Third Vice-President
GEORGIE NELL SIMS ..... Secretary
BESSIE McDONALD ..... Chorister
ILLENE RICHIE ..... Pianist
FRANCES HUNT ..... Reporter
THE REV. HOGAN ..... Advisor

PURPOSE

The B.S.U. is a connecting link between the college and the local church in the college center. It is not an organization but organized program for all Baptist students and students of Baptist preference on the campus. It is maintained by the B.S.U. Council, which is elected annually by a nominating committee taken from the B.S.U. as a whole. The B.S.U. meets weekly in the auditorium of the Baptist Church. Rev. W. A. Hogan is sponsor and Mrs. Janie Sullivan is the faculty advisor.

Wesley Foundation

OFFICERS

ALENE MARTIN ..... President
WILLISTON CHASON ..... Vice-President
SARAH WEBB ..... Secretary and Treasurer
KATHERINE COX ..... Reporter

PURPOSE

The Wesley Foundation is a campus organization made up of those students whose interests and affiliation are in accord with the Methodist Church. It promotes good fellowship and religious fervor and provides inspirational atmosphere for its members. It also acts as a connecting link between the student campus life and the work of the Youth Fellowship in the church. The Foundation meets each Thursday evening in the home of its sponsor, Mrs. W. W. Newsome.

Girls Vesper

OFFICERS

SARAH WEBB	President
BOBBIE GILLIS	First Vice-President
THEDRA LUKE	Second Vice-President
FRANCES HUNT	Treasurer
MARCELLE WEBB	Secretary
MOLLY WADE	Reporter
DORIS JONES	Chorister
ILLENE RICHIE	Pianist
MRS. JACKSON	Sponsor

In order to deepen the spiritual life of the dormitory girls, it has been the custom for many years to have a short devotional service twice each week in the dormitory lobby. These short services give the school day the right ending.

Noonday Prayer Service

OFFICERS

FRED RAY BLOCKER	President
LOUISE VANCE	Vice-President
SARAH WEBB	Treasurer
MILDRED LOVORN	Chorister
ILLENE RICHIE	Pianist

Morning Watch

OFFICERS

Katherine Cox	President
Jo Johnson	Vice-President
Mildred Lovorn	Chorister
Bessie McDonald	Pianist
Etoile Sessums	Reporter

College International Relations Club

MEMBERS

Aubery Adams, De Lores Ball, Sue Bennett, Joe Bennett, Joyce Billings, Ellen Blackwell, Fred Ray Blocker, Dixie Briggs, Nancy Burnham, Charles Cannon, Williston Chason, Windford Eason, Johnny Freeman, Paul Fulton, Bobbie Gillis, Rex Gordon, Clariece Graham, Don Graham, Frances Hammond, Tommye Jean Hatcher, John Allen Henley, Ruth Henry, Lorraine Jackson, Herman Johnson, Alene Martin, Thomas Mazingo, Naomi McCraw, Melton McMullan, Kitty Moreland, Leonard Nelson, Elaine Long, Thedra Luke, Buford Posey, Lynn Phillips, Dale Reynolds, Beverly Ricks, Margaret Shannon, Lillian Taylor, Rebecca Taylor, Charles Tingle, Molly Wade, Glenn Womack, Glen Wilkerson, Gay Williams, Clayton Young.

OFFICERS

SUE BENNETT	President	LORRAINE JACKSON
MELTON McMULLAN	V.-President	CLAYTON YOUNG
BOBBIE GILLIS	Secretary	BOBBIE GILLIS
THEDRA LUKE	Treasurer	THEDRA LUKE
LORRAINE JACKSON	Reporter	RUTH HENRY
	Sponsor	C. W. PASKINS

Newton County Agricultural High School I. R. C.

Purpose as stated in the Preamble of the I.R.C. Constitution:

"We the members of the International Relations Club do hereby affiliate ourselves for the sole purpose of free and informal discussion without reserve of international problems that affect us as individuals and as citizens of this country and the world so as to understand and lay a basic foundation in youth for the development and betterment of relations of all people of the world."

I.R.C. has increased from four members to forty-five. The four members worked out the constitution as the project for the summer term of 1945.

A number of outstanding projects have been carried out: Organization of High School I.R.C. under the leadership of Vice-President Clayton Young. . . the Sadie Hawkins' celebration on November 3—Pan American Ball on April 20.

OFFICERS

President ..... **JUNE HOLLINGSWORTH**
Vice-President ..... **SIDNEY McNEIL**
Secretary ..... **EDWIN MILLER**
Treasurer ..... **BENOLINE MEADOW**
Reporter ..... **CAROLYN PERRY**
Sponsor ..... **MISS CLEMENTS**

MEMBERS

Frances Addy, Norma Lee Brand, Dot Buntyn, William Capps, Raymond Golden, June Hollingsworth, Laverne Idon, Otto Malone, Betty McCraney, Richard McMullan, Sidney McNeil, Benoline Meador, Edna Meltz, Edwin Miller, Eugenia Moore, Laverne Pennigton, Carolyn Perry, Jean Quattlebaun, Jerry Reedy, Evelyn Rowzee, Walter Williams.

The Home Economics Club

MEMBERS

Catherine Kempt, Laverne Lewis, Thedra Luke, Sara Webb, Mary Parkes, Nancy Burnham, Alene Martin, Gay Williams, Emma Jean Truesdale, Lynn Phillips, Georgia Nell Sims, Ruth Henry, Iris Clark, De Lores Ball, Naomi McCraw, Edris Gunn, Lillian Taylor.

OFFICERS

BETTY IDOM	President
KATHERINE COX	Vice-President
MOLLY WADE	Secretary and Treasurer
MISS RUTH BLANSHARD	Sponsor

PURPOSE

The main purpose of the organization is to form a connecting link between the department and the home, to learn to use the tools and techniques of the profession, to gain poise and assurance in a variety of social situations, and to gain experience in legitimate means of raising money for the club.

MOTTO: "Today we follow; tomorrow we lead."

The Glee Club

MEMBERS

Laverne Gibbs, Thelma Goodin, Frances Hammond, Benny Hudson, Fanice Hunt, Lorraine Jackson, Thedra Luke, Alene Martin, Mary Parks, Louise Vance, Frances Warick, Sarah Webb, Kitty Moreland, Gwendolyn May, Imogene Johnson, Joyce H. Jensen, Ruth Henry, Ruth Crane, Williston Chason, Nancy Burnaham, De Lores Ball, Frances Aycock, Grady Aycock, R. G. Taylor, Margaret Taylor, Melba Jean Smith, Marlene Smith, Eloise Rea, Doris Poole, Lynn Phillips, Mildred Nelson, Junior Redd, Otto Malone, Don Graham, Douglas Caffey.

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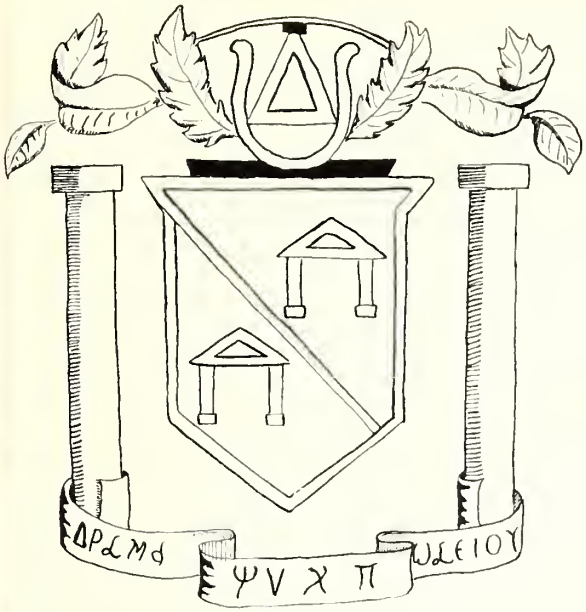

The Delta Psi Omega

FRED BLOCKER	Cast Director
DON GRAHAM	Stage Manager
JEAN HATCHER	Vice Director
FRANCES HUNT	Secretary

PLEDGES

Katherine Cox, Bobby Gillis, Edris Gunn, Bonny Hudson, Lorraine Jackson, Mary Ruby Kemp, Mildred Lovorn, Kitty Moreland, Illene Richie, Alene Martin, Sara Webb, Frances Hammond, Joyce Jensen, Betty Idom, Clayton Young.

PURPOSE

The Delta Psi Omega is the Junior College Honorary Dramatic Fraternity. Its purpose is to stimulate interest in the dramatic activities in E.C.J.C., to secure for the college all the advantages of a large national honorary fraternity, and to serve as a reward for dramatic efforts.

The Theatre Guild

OFFICERS

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ILLENE RICHIE	Vice-President
REBECCA LOFTON	Secretary
DON GRAHAM	Treasurer
FRANCES HUNT	Reporter

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OFFICERS

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The purpose of the Future Teachers of America are: To acquaint teachers in training with the history, ethics, and program of the organized teaching profession; to interest the best young men and women in education as a lifelong career; to encourage careful selection of persons admitted to schools which prepare teachers with emphasis on both character and scholarship; to seek thru the dissemination of information and thru higher standards of preparation to bring teacher supply and demand into a reasonable balance.

The Girl Reserves

Annie Merle Addy, Jane Brand, Dorothy Buntyn, Edna Earl Hillman, Dorothy Jordan, Annie Lou Massey, Edna Meltz, Eugenia Moore, Mary Anne Oliver, Carolyn Perry, Jean Quottlebaum, Evelyn Rowzee, Jessie Sims, Tressie Sims, Mary Helen Valentine, Laverne Van Etten, Mary Sula Wansley.

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Hi Y Club

CABINET MEMBERS

President	GEORGE JAMES
Vice-President	SHED D. YOUNG
Secretary and Treasurer	GLEN WOMACK
Reporter	SIDNEY McNEIL

The Senior Hi-Y was organized in September 1945 and at the present there are 23 members. Recently, we have received our charter which affiliates us with the state and national organizations. Our programs are varied to meet the needs of present day boys. Occasionally we ask a speaker to visit our club and give a message to the boys. Other programs include Bible drill, moral subjects as Smut, Alcoholic Beverages, Profanity, Sportsmanship, and Boy-Girl relationship.

Home From The Wars

Herman Johnson, Alton C. Harris, James R. Jordon, John Prentice Stuart, Laverne Idom, Glenwood T. Womack, James R. Round, Samuel F. Taylor, Lavell L. Culpepper, Grover Shumaker, Charles E. Swain, James Steinwinder, Millie Mumm, Otto Malone, Bracy B. Graham, John C. Freeman, Willie H. McCraney, Johnnie B. Roberts, James Walter Edwards Jr., Kenneth T. Horne, Robert Robertson, Milton McMullan, Billy Blount, Windford Eason, Leslie Carl Williams, Nolan F. Skinner, Maxwell G. Herrington, Grady Afcock, Henry Young, Benton Rex Gordon, David Hugh Chisholm, Louis H. Smith, R. G. Taylor, B. P. Jackson Jr., J. C. McCann, William J. Ryals, Shed D. Young, Dallas W. Mathews, Burly D. Register, Robert Hillman Jr., James Rodney Thomas, Thomas M. Mazingo, Lewis Bailey, Raymond Golden, Leonard O. Nelson, Calvin Roberts Jr., William Osler Chapman, David Hopkins, Dewitt, Webster, Buford W. Posey, Herman Vaughn, Oscar G. Wilkerson, Thomas A. Williams, Otis B. Hardy, Elmo M. Winstead, Carl M. Underwood, Franklin C. Rigney, James R. Walpole, Hermon L. Morris, Charles Tingle.

Athletics

The Football Squad

J. B. Parks, Billy Dearman, Malcolm Jones (All-State), Paul Fulton, Junior Crawford, Danny Shannon, Sidney McNeil, B. J. "Snorter" Thames, Mitchell Warren, Eldon Davis, Joe Bennett, Max Herrington (All State), Kenneth Hunter, Don Graham, Jesse Huey, Jerry Reedy (Manager).

Illene Richie
Willie Chason
Joyce Jensen
Margaret Shannon

Annie Lee Gordon
"Corky" Capps
Kitty Moreland

The Girls Basketball Team

Coach Betty Short, Louise Russel, Melba Jean Smith, Katherine Reeves, Imogene Johnson, Dale Wilkerson, Imogene Smith, Eloise Rea, Marjorie Hobby, Marcelle Webb, Joyce Everette, Frances Aycock, Katherine Stewart, Joyce Jensen, Manager, Marlene Smith.

The E. C. J. C. Basketball Squad

The Warriors of East Central Junior College enjoyed a highly successful season this year, beating every team they played although some of these teams beat us in return engagements.

The Warriors were eliminated in the semi-finals of the State Tournament. They did succeed however in placing Fred McMullan on first string All State again. O. Q. Smith and Nolan Skinner made second string All State while Quinton Copeland made honorable mention.

THE SQUAD

Fred McMullan, Nolan Skinner, O. Q. Smith, Quinton Copeland, Charles Cannon, Monroe Mazzingo, Hugh McCraney, Dale Reynolds, Carl Underwood, Alton Harris, Johnny Freeman, Aubry Adams, Junior Hillman, Jo Bennett, Manager.

Joe Graham
Clell Hall
Lewis McMullan
Lavon Majure
Frank Meador
Corelton Graham
Donald Pennington
Curtis Monroe
Ellis Crawford
Edwin Miller
Mickey Pennington
Danny Shannon
Norman Thomas
R. D. Kelley
"Snorter" Thames
Paul Rigler
Gilbert Gilmore
Coach, Burley McCraw

High School Basketball Squads

Benoline Meador
Mary F. Shockley
Francis Addy
Thedra Johnson
Mary H. Valentine
Beatrice Harris
Bobby N. Hall
Nell Pearson
Mary Bailey
Maggie Ledlow
Laverne Van Etten
Janette Massey
Dorthy Gilmore
June Hollingsworth
Sammye Massey
Betty Short—Coach

The Boys are Back

Campusology

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